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COUNTRY East Germany REPORT

TOPIC Soviet Troop Trains

EVALUATION PLACE OBTAINED

DATE OF CONTENT

DATE OBTAINED DATE PREPARED 6 September 1954

REFERENCES

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REMARKS This is UNEVALUATED

Date in July	Composition of Troop Trains	From	To
1	17 B and F	Sondershausen	Chemnitz
	23 cars, 9 RRYM	Sondershausen	Altengrabow
12	50 cars, 9 RRYM	Saalfeld	Altengrabow
15	24 cars, 4 RRYM	Rossleben	Altengrabow
11	9 B, 1 RRYM	Rudolstadt	Aken
16	44 cars	Rudolstadt	Neubukow
(B-2)	53 cars	Rudolstadt	Neubukow
17	47 cars, 2 RRYM	Rudolstadt	Neubukow
(B-2)	24 cars, 8 RRYM	Rudolstadt	Neubukow

2. The following troop trains were observed at the Rathenow railroad station between 7 and 22 August:

Date in August	Composition of Troop Trains	From	To
7	8 B, 22 F	Bernau	Altengrabow
9	10 B, 30 F	Wildpark	Haldensleben
10	10 B, 35 F	Wildpark	Haldensleben
	5 B, 25 F	Wildpark	Haldensleben
	13 B, 19 F	Brandenburg	Haldensleben
12	5 B, 16 F	Neuruppin	Altengrabow

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14	6 B, 21 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
	5 B, 23 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
	5 B, 26 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
15	4 B, 31 F with 12 JS-1 tanks, 28 trucks and 3 field kitchens	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6 6
18	12 B, 46 F	Dallgow	Altengrabow		7
21	7 B, 34 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
	5 B, 31 F with 21 JS-3 tanks and 13 trucks	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
	3 B, 17 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
22	13 B, 32 F	Wudicke	Satzkorn		6
[redacted]	10 B, 30 F with 11x37-mm AA guns	Neuruppin	Altengrabow		5 25X1

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1. [redacted] Comment. On 23 July 1954, a rocket launcher unit was unloaded at Saalfeld. [redacted] The troop train in the present report, therefore, probably carried elements of the 316th Gds RL Regt of the XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps which held firing practices at Altengrabow between 12 and 23 July 1954.

2. [redacted] 25X1

sent report probably also carried a rocket launcher unit of the 21st Gds Mecz Div or 94th Gds RL Regt of the XXIX Gds Mtz Rifle Corps to Altengrabow for firing practice between 15 and 25 July 1954. 25X1

3. [redacted] Comment. The troop train probably carried part of the 880th Engr Bn of the XXVIII Gds Mtz Rifle Corps which, according to other records, moved from Aken to its home station or the Ohrdruf troop training grounds together with the other engineer units of the Eighth Gds Army on 26 and 28 July 1954. 25X1 25X1

4. [redacted] Comment. The troop trains were previously confirmed. [redacted] 25X1

[redacted] 25X1

5. [redacted] 25X1

6. [redacted] Comment. The troop trains carried components of the 10th Gds Tk Div which returned from field exercises in the area west of Rathenow. The trains were previously reported. 25X1

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